

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS INVITING BIDS

The County of San Diego, Owner, invites sealed bids for:

CONSTRUCTION OF PALA TEMECULA ROAD CULVERTS ORACLE PROJECT NO. 1005508

Sealed bids will be received at the Department of Purchasing and Contracting, Building 11, County Operations Center, 5555 Overland Avenue, Suite 1111, San Diego, California, 92123, until 2:00 p.m. on September 26, 2006, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud at said office.

The Contractor shall possess, at the time of submitting the bid, a California contractor's license, Classification A, General Engineering Contractor.

Engineer's Estimate of the work is as follows:

<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Description</u>
1.	Lump Sum	Prepare Water Pollution Control Program
2.	Lump Sum	Water Pollution Control
3.	Lump Sum	Mobilization
4.	Lump Sum	Clearing and Grubbing
5.	304 LF	42" X 29" Corrugated Steel Pipe Arch (T=0.109")
6.	210 Ton	Asphalt Concrete, Type B
7.	146 LF	Place Asphalt Concrete Dike, Type E
8.	115 CY	Minor Concrete (Encase Storm Drain)
9.	25 CY	Minor Concrete (Cutoff Wall)
10.	20 CY	Shotcrete
11.	45 CY	Aggregate Base, Class 2
12.	20 CY	Remove Concreted-Rock Slope Protection
13.	30 CY	Concreted-Rock Slope Protection (1/4 Ton, Method B)
14.	15 CY	Concrete (Concreted-Rock Slope Protection)
15.	291 SY	Plane Roadway Surface
16.	1 EA	Object Marker (Type L-2)
17.	16 EA	Delineator (Class 1)
18.	900 LF	Paint Traffic Stripe (2-Coat)
19.	Lump Sum	Trench Safety and Shoring of Excavations
20.	1 EA	Project Identification Sign
21.	Lump Sum	Traffic Control
22.	100 EA	Temporary Gravel Bag
23.	1 EA	Temporary Stabilized Construction Entrance
24.	10,000 DLR	Field Orders

Work to be Done consists in general of installing drainage culverts. The work includes clearing and grubbing, planing roadway surface, placing asphalt concrete, asphalt concrete dike and aggregate base, constructing concrete encasement and cutoff walls, placing concreted rock slope protection, placing shotcrete, painting traffic stripe markings, placing pavement markers, installing flexible post delineators, project identification sign, placing temporary gravel bags and temporary stabilized construction entrance, providing trench safety and shoring for excavations, and traffic control.

The project is located in the vicinity of Pala. The cost of construction is estimated to be from \$310,000.00 to \$360,000.00.

Contract Documents, including reduced Plans only, Specifications and Proposal Forms, may be examined or purchased for the sum of \$15.00 (including tax) per set at the County of San Diego, Department of Purchasing and Contracting, Cashier, Building 11, County Operations Center, 5555 Overland Avenue, Suite 1111, San Diego, CA 92123. Make checks payable to County of San Diego; no refund will be made. Mail service is available only to those prospective bidders outside a 30-mile radius of the County Operations Center and at an additional cost of \$5.00 per set of documents. For mail service contact cashier at (858) 694-3062.

Full-size plans may be obtained at the Department of Purchasing and Contracting, referenced above, at an additional cost of \$3.50 (including tax). Only complete sets of full-size plans will be sold. No refund for the cost of full-size plans will be made. Mail service for full-size plans is available only to those prospective bidders outside a 30-mile radius of the County Operations Center and at an additional cost of \$5.00 per set of plans. For mail service contact cashier at (858) 694-3062.

Full-size plans will not be sent to full-size plan holders when plans are revised and issued as addenda unless re-ordered. Only revised reduced plans will be issued as necessary with addenda. Full-size plans will contain only the revisions made to the plans at the time of issuance.

A copy of the following report is available at no cost at the Department of Purchasing and Contracting, Cashier, Building 11, County Operations Center, 5555 Overland Avenue, San Diego, CA 92123. This report is provided for informational purposes only, and is not part of this Contract. Contact cashier at (858) 694-3062 for mail service.

RESULTS OF FIELD CORING AND PH AND RESISTIVITY TESTING FOR
PALA TEMECULA/MISSION ROAD CULVERTS; ORACLE NO. 1005508,
Dated May 12, 2006 (2 pages)

Cross sections are not available for this project.

The Standard Specifications for this project are the Standard Specifications for Construction of Local Streets and Roads of the State of California, Department of Transportation, dated July 2002, the Amendments to said Standard Specifications contained in Part VI of these Contract Documents and the modifications to said Standard Specifications and said Amendments contained in Part VII of these Contract Documents.

The State Department of Transportation publication "Labor Surcharge and Equipment Rental Rates" in effect the date the work is accomplished, is incorporated by reference into these Contract Documents.

Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise (DVBE) Participation: The Owner, as a matter of policy, encourages the participation of disabled veteran owned businesses. County of San Diego, Board of Supervisor DVBE policy is found at <http://www.sdcounty.ca.gov/cob/policy/B-39a.pdf>. General information concerning the State of California DVBE program may be found at <http://www.pd.dgs.ca.gov/smbus/default.htm>. County DVBE policy requirements shall prevail over the State of California DVBE program requirements.

Bid Security in the form of cash, or a certified or cashier's check, or a Bidder's Bond for at least ten percent of the bid amount executed by a corporation duly authorized to issue bonds in the State of California shall accompany the bid.

Performance and Payment Bonds: The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond for one hundred percent, and a Payment Bond for one hundred percent of the Contract amount.

Wage Rates: This project is a "public work" in accordance with Labor Code § 1720, et seq. It is the sole responsibility of the Contractor to ensure that all workers employed in the execution of the contract are paid the correct prevailing wage rate of wages.

The Owner has obtained from the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations said Director's General Prevailing Wage Determinations for the locality in which the work is to be performed. Said determinations are on file and available in the Department of Purchasing and Contracting, Building 11, County Operations Center, 5555 Overland Avenue, Suite 1111, San Diego, CA 92123 and are available from the Department of Industrial Relations on the INTERNET at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/PWD>. Not less than these rates shall be paid to all workers employed on the project.

Contractor Labor Code Compliance: Each Contractor and subcontractor shall comply with California Labor Code, including but not limited to Sections 1776 and 1777.5.

Contractors Licensing Laws: Attention is directed to the Contractors License Law, Section 7000 and following of the Business and Professions Code concerning the licensing of contractors. Any bidder or contractor not properly licensed may be subject to the penalties provided and will not be considered for award of this Contract. Contractors are required by law to be licensed and are regulated by the Contractors State License Board. Any questions concerning a contractor may be referred to the Registrar, Contractors State License Board, 3132 Bradshaw Road, Sacramento, CA, 95826. Contractors are required to be properly licensed in California on the date bids are submitted (Bus. & Prof. Code, § 7028.15), unless federal funds are involved. If federal funds are involved, the bidder shall be properly licensed in California at the time the contract is awarded (Pub. Contract Code, § 20103.5). In this case, failure of the bidder to obtain proper and adequate licensing for an award of this Contract shall constitute a failure to execute the Contract and shall result in the forfeiture of the security of the bidder.

Each Bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing on the outside the name of the bidder, bidder's address, the name of the project for which the bid is submitted, and the appropriate State Contractor's License designation held by the bidder. If forwarded by mail, the sealed envelope containing the bid must be enclosed in another envelope addressed to:

County of San Diego, Department of Purchasing and Contracting
RFB 1646 – Pala Temecula Road Culverts
5555 Overland Avenue, Suite 1111
San Diego, CA, 92123-1249

It is the responsibility of the bidder to ensure the bid is submitted in proper time.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality or irregularity in the bids or bidding.

Withdrawal of bids shall not be permitted for a period of seventy-five (75) days after the date set for the opening thereof.

Monies withheld by the Owner to ensure performance under the Contract may be released in accordance with Public Contract Code Section 22300 and these Contract Documents.

WINSTON F. McCOLL, Director
Department of Purchasing and Contracting